GARDNER A CANDIDATE

Congressman Will Seek the Republican Nomination

FOR GOVERNOR IN MASSACHUSETTS

Gov. Foss Won't Talk About It-Will Mean Real Contest in Bay State

Hamilton, Mass., Aug. 12.-Congressman A. P. Gardner announced last night from his summer home here his candidacy for the Republican nomination for governor of Massachusetts in the prima-

Several politicians said it looked as though Gardner's entry into the fight was too late. Gardner is a hustler, however, and works swiftly when he starts

Governor Foss has made one of his characteristic shifts, or "deviations," as he calls them. He isn't talking for pub-

When asked yesterday morning what he had to say about the Washington dispatches stating that Congressman Gardner might become a candidate for HAS BEEN HELI the Republican gubernatorial nomina tion, he declined to comment. Except to laugh merrily and exclaim "the more the Those in his confidence, however, delare that his previous public delaration in regard to Stevens and McCall holds good. He would like to see Gard-ner or anybody else enter the field, so that there may be a real contest that will carry out the spirit of the direct

PROTEST ON SCHOOL TAX. Catholics Now Support Parish Institu-

Milwaukee, Wis., Aug. 12,-Three sessions of the convention of the American federation of Catholic societies were held yesterday, starting with a business meeting in the auditorium. While visiting Catholies number some thirty thousand, the business of the gathering is in the hands of about five hundred delegates. The big convention, which was inaugurated on Sunday by the celebration in St. John's Cathedral of solemn pontifical mass by Cardinal Gibbons and a sermon by Archbishop Keene, was featured in the afternoon by a parade of various societies in which more than persons took part, and in the evening by a sacred concert. Among the things to be discussed during the conolic citizens to maintain public schools when they are already maintaining parochial schools. Bishop McFaul's solution for this is:

2. Let no compensation be made for

3. Let Catholic children be examined by a state or municipal board, and if Catholic schools furnish the regular education required, let the state put down

DIVIDE NATION INTO SIXTHS. For Purposes of Physical Valuation of car.

Railroads.

Washington; Aug. 12.—In making a physical valuation of railroads, the interstate commerce commission will divide the United States into probably And Girl May Die From Injuries Received six territories. Each will have its own headquarters, which will report to headquarters here. In addition to commision headquarters, the headquarters of the eastern territory will be in Washington. Headquarters of the other divisions have not been definitely selected, but one probably will be in Chicago, one South, likely at Atlanta, Ga., one and perhaps two in the middle West, and one on the Pacific coast, probably at San Francisco.

RETURNS PART OF WAR SPOILS. France Gives Russia Bell Taken from Sebastopol.

Paris, Aug. 12,-France yesterday gave back to Russia the great bronze bell tak- the American Coconnut Butter Co. yesen from the cathedral at Sebastopol and terday. brought to France as part of the spoils of the Crimean war. It has been in one the flames were extinguished. of the towers of the cathedral of Notre Dame, Paris.

bell weighs three tons. It was formally presented by a representative Both Teacher and Pupil Are Killed in a of the French ministry of fine arts to the Russian ambassador yesterday after-noon. It will shortly be sent to St.

tried out by the Boston Red Sox a few they were flying fell, seasons ago, is now pitching remarkable ball in the International league. Many players in this league say sot take him before Aug. 20.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results. At Boston-Detroit 6, Boston 2. Batteries-Dauss and Stanage; Leonard and Carrigan. At New York-New York 6, St.

Louis 2. Batteries-Caldwell and Sweeney; Leverenz, Baumgartner and Alexander.

At Washington—Cleveland 6, Washington 1. Batteries—Mitch-ell and O'Neil; Engle, Hughes and At Philadelphia-Philadelphia 8,

Chicago 5. Batteries — Bush, Houck and Schang; Cicotte, Russell, Scott, Renz and Schalk.

Standing of the Clubs.			
	Won	Lost	Pet.
Philadelphia	72	.33	.686
Cleveland	63	43	.606
Washington	59		.557
Chiengo		53:	.518
Boston	50	54	:481
Detroit	46	63	.423
St. Louis	43	69	,384
New York	34	67	.337

Utterly Wretched

Nervous Prostration Long Endured
Before Remedy was Found.
Miss Minerva Reminger, Upper Bern,
Pa., writes: "For several years I had
nervous prostration, and was utterly
wretched. I lived on bread and beet
tea because my stomach would not retain anything else. I took many remedies, but obtained no relief until I
took Hood's Sarsaparilla, when I began
to gain at once. Am now cured."
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nerves, and this is why Hood's Sarsanerves, and this is why Hood's Sarsa-parilla, which purifies and enriches the blood, cures so many nervous diseases. Get it today in usual liquid form or chocolated tablets called Sarsatabs.

LITTLE RELIEF FOR KANSAS.

Rains Much Lighter Than in Other Corn Belt States.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 12.—High temperatures and conditions of drought still prevailed over Kansas and Oklahoma yesterday, and with no promise of relief in at least the next twenty-four hours the crop situation continued to grow more serious.

Light showers sprinkled various portions of Kansas yesterday, but while Missouri, Illinois and Iowa were deluged with rain the moisture that fell within the borders of the Sunflower state was of too little consequence to afford gen-uine relief. The temperature in nearly every city of the state was in excess of 100 to-day.

Two storms swept Iowa last night and the Iowa corn crop might be 75 per cent.

In Missouri, rain began falling at day-break yesterday and continued for sev-eral hours. The mercury dropped 15 to order last evening, Majority Leader

HAS BEEN HELD UP ors.

Defer Action on Demand for Proofs of Charge That Bankers Have Been Depressing Bond Prices.

committee yesterday deferred action on stock at the time, that as governor, he Representative Mondell's resolution to was earnestly pressing legislation bankers were acting in concert to depress the price of two per cent circulation traded executive approval of bills for bonds as part of an attack on the adsupport of his direct primary measure ministration currency reform program. and did everything in his power to con-Representative Mondell may try to bring ceal proof and obstruct the Frawley it up in the House. He told the committee yesterday that, if true, the charges should be investigated by the department of justice.

SHIPPER WAS

Was Preparing a Package of Powder for Shipment When It Ex-

Newton, Mass., Aug. 12.-Antonio Bolselli, 45 years old, was blown to pieces and two others were severely hurt yesvention are religious teaching in public terday, when a package of powder ex-schools and the problem of taxing Cath- ploded at the Vulcan Manufacturing Co.'s plant at Newtonville.

The package was being prepared for shipment when the explosion occurred from some unknown casue.

May Die.

into the ditch on the road from Bethle- revolutionists, arrived at Maracay on hem to the Twin Mountain house last Friday, under the command of President night, overturning on a daughter of Mr. Juan Vicente Gomez. The United States and Mrs. H. L. Smith, who, with Mrs. cruiser Des Moines was due to arrive in Van Hymiger, were occupants of the Venezuelan waters Sunday.

others escaped with slight injuries.

GOLF BALL EXPLODED.

From It.

Chicago, Aug. 12.-Agnes Marck, 12 rears old, probably was fatally burned Sunday by hydro-chloric acid from the core of a golf ball which she placed in her mouth to crack and find out what The child found the ball at the Glen

Oak Country club.

SIX FIREMEN INJURED.

Chicago, Aug. 12.-Six firemen were injured and property valued at \$150,000 was destroyed by fire in the plant of

Three ammonia tanks exploded before

TWO GERMAN FLYERS DIE.

Fall at Brueck.

Brueck, Germany, Aug. 12.-Fritz Roessler, a German aviator, and a pupil named Stephan, were killed here on McHale, the Maine youth who was Sunday, when an aeroplane in which

UNEXPECTED SLIDE,

Buries a Steam Shovel and Kills 13 Men.

killed yesterday by an unexpected slide at the Porto Bello quarry which completely buried a steam shovel near which

they were working.
The dead comprise Charles Nyland, an American citizen, and 12 colored powder men, drill men and pit men. Doctor Porras, the president of Pan-ama, sent his condolences to Nyland's

2 HURT AS TRAIN LEAVES TRACK. on N. H. R. R.

Whitman, Mass, Aug. 12.-Two men were injured but not seriously yesterday when a passenger coach on the Plymouth bound train from Boston, on Old Schooner Victor in 35-Mile Race To the New Haven railroad, was derailed by a switch just south of here, wrecking the coach and tying up the traffic on this division. The car was badly smash-schooner Corona, built in 1893 as a ed, but the two men, who were passengers, escaped with only slight bruises.

The New York Giants have signed two York Yacht club from Vineyard Haven players of unknown value, according to to this port for the Captain Robert P. the latest bulletin issued by President Tod cup. Lynch of the National league. They are Wasterwick and Monte Prieste.

TO IMPEACH

Resolution Charges "Willful Dubbed "Colonel" by Mcand Corrupt Conduct in Office"

FRAWLEY REPORT IS ADOPTED

ulation, Trading Executive Approval for Votes, Etc.

Albany, N. Y., Aug. 12.—The report in the Assembly by Majority Leader ley through Ohio in 1893, he explained.

Levy announced he would introduce a resolution impeaching Governor Sulzer "for wilful and corrupt conduct in of- like that." fice and for high crimes and misdemean-

Levy said he would ask that consideration of the resolution be deferred un-

til to-day. The conclusion of the Frawley committee are that Governor Sulzer falsified under oath his campaign account; di-Washington, Aug. 12.—The Democratic verted some of these contributions to majority of the House ways and means the purchase of stock; speculated in Representative Mondell's resolution to was earnestly pressing legislation require Secretary McAdoo to furnish the against the New York Stock Exchange, proofs of his charge that New York proofs of his charge that New York that he punished legislators who opsupport of his direct primary measure committees to bring it to light.

The committees report also recom-mended that the legislature take steps to punish for contempt in refusing to testify, Louis A. Sarecky, who red as Sulzer's confidential secretary the campaign and Frederick L. C. Col-BLOWN TO PIECES well, alleged to have been the governor's representative in some of the stock

> CAPTURE CASTRO'S RELATIVE. General Torres Castro Made Prisoner By

dent Castro, was captured on Aug. 8 by the government troops commanded by the government troops commanded by Generals Corcegas, Sayego and Bustamente, according to an official communication issued yesterday. Several of General Torres Castro's officers, who had field to the mountains of Macuro after the defeat of Castro's adherents on July religious instruction. Our principle is. Young Woman Injured at Bretton Woods let the pastor take care of the flock and May Die.

28 in the attack on the government to a letter from A. E. Marshall of Dayforces in the city of Macuro also were ton, O., read to the committee yestertaken prisoners.

Monsignor Juan Bautista Castro, arch She was crushed and may die. The bishop of Caracas, has issued a pastoral

COOL, THEN WARMER.

Increasing Temperatures in the East for Last Half of Week,

Washington, Aug. 12.-The distribution of atmospheric pressure over the American continent and the adjacent oceans, said the weather bureau's weekmoderate temperature the first half of the week in the middle Atlantic and New England states will be followed by warmer weather in these regions after The precipitation during the week Senator Joseph W. Johnston. will be fairly well distributed.

WON'T GIVE UP ADRIANOPLE. Turkey Firmly Declines To Yield That

Stronghold. Constantinople, Aug. 12.—Turkey firmly declined to give up Adrianople in a courteous note handed by the sublime Porte last night to the ambassadors of

the powers. The note explains that the Turkish intreaty of London, was forced by the atrocities of the Bulgarians,

Former Property of Westerly Co. Secured By the Joseph Newell Co.

Westerly, R. I., Aug. 12.-The most productive pink granite quarry in the Westerly fields is about to be taken over by the Joseph Newell Co., propri-etors of the Dalbeattie Granite Works, which will shortly close its option. The quarry was originally opened by the Westerly Granite Co., composed of William Opie, James Hogg and Alexander Coach Derailed at Switch Ties Up Traffic Robinson, and later came into possession of Duquoid Bros., who have disposed of it to the more influential concern,

> CORONA WINS CAPT. TOD CUP. Marblehead.

prospective cup defender, owned Cleveland H. Dodge of New York, Cleveland H. Dodge of New York, yes-terday won the 35-mile race of the New

To-day the fleet will continue to Marblehead for the races Thursday.

HOW MULHALL GOV. SULZER GOT HIS TITLE

Kinley in 1893, He Says

NEVER HELD A COMMISSION

Charges Falsification, Spec- Marshall Denies Intention of Reflecting on Gov.

Washington, Aug. 12 .- "Col." Martin of the Frawley legislative committee M. Mulhall, the self-styled former lobwas adopted by the legislature early byist of the National Association of this morning and a resolution to im- Manufacturers, told the House lobby inpeach Governor Sulzer for "wilful and vestigating committee yesterday where carly to-day, and at Des Moines nearly three inches of rain fell. Crop experts predicted that with a little fore rain crimes and misdemeanors" was offered accompanying the late President McKincorrupt conduct in office and for high he got his title. He acquired it while

> "He dubbed me colonel," Mulhall said. "Were you on his staff?" a member of the committee asked.

"I thought so," said the witness, "but I never had any commission or anything

This statement was at direct variance with Mulhall's explanation before the Senate lobby committee of how he got his title of "colonel." He told the senators that he was a member of McKinley's staff when the latter was governor

The House committee yesterday inserted in the record a letter from Representative Bartholdt of Missouri, now in Schleiz, Germany, offering to answer any questions the committee might pro-pound by cable. He said he could not return to America immediately without endangering his wife's health.

In reference to the charge that he

was under the influence of the National Association of Manufacturers, Representative Barthold said:

"As a member of the committee on abor, I have naturally come in contact J. W. Van Cleave and F. C. Schwedtman and also with J. A. Emery and Mulhail, but I never looked upon the latter as anything but a messenger boy, and I never dignified him by any serious discussion of measures pending.

"In the campaign of 1910 my vote against exempting labor organizations from the operation of the Sherman law was made an issue against me by cerwas made an issue against me by certain labor agitators, and a blacklist was but lost 2 to 1. It is said that he will Government Troops.

Garacas, Venezuela, Aug. 12.—General Torres Castro, a relative of former President Castro, a relative of former President Castro, and a blacklist was circulated by them in my district on which my name appeared. I brought this fact to the attention of the St. Louis executive committee of the associated the committee of the associated the committee of the second the committee of the associated the committee of the committee of the associated the committee of the com ciation and I was informed that be

spondence were unwarranted, according Bretton Woods, N. H., Aug. 12.—An automobile containing a party from Mobile, Ala., got beyond control and went was formed at the capital to fight the state of Tachira.

The army of government troops which ball, which seemed to indicate that Cox, ball, which seemed to indicate that Cox, season. Volk, one of the Newport play-was formed at the capital to fight the in Congress, was a member of a crs, has been appointed to fill the positive form. real estate combine which was holding tion temporarily.

The committee yesterday subportaed tries to H. E. Miles of Racine, Wis., H. R. Towne catcher." letter, instructing the clergy to pray for and S. E. Meade of New York. These men will be examined regarding the for-mation of the National Tariff Commission association, about which James Emery, Washington counsel for the N. A. M., testified several days ago.

CAN'T APPOINT U. S. SENATOR

bulletin, is such as to indicate that Governor O'Neil of Alabama Has no Power to Do So, Is Opinion of

In a Chicago Fire Yesterday—Property
Loss \$150,000.

Wednesday. In the regions of drought, the middle Mississippi valley and the middle Mississippi valley and the middle and southern plains states, tembama last night by Senator Overman, peratures will continue high during the acting chairman of the Senate judiciary first half of the week, while during the committee, advising them that Gov. latter half of the week the weather in O'Neil, in the opinion of Democratic these districts will become cooler, with lawyers of the Senate, has no power a probability of well-distributed show- now to appoint a successor to the late

A majority held the governor could call a special election at once, but qualifled this by adding there were differences of opinion as to whether it was necessary to call the legislature to authorize a special election.

FLOOD WARNINGS IN COLORADO. Fountain River Is Above Danger Point Owing to Cloudbursts.

Pueblo, Col., Aug. 12.-Fear of a devasion of the Midia-Maritza zone, which is beyond the new frontier fixed by the formed between Colorado Springs and Pueblo by cloudbursts last night, has caused warnings to be issued to all residents of the lowlands of the Fountain Colon. Aug. 12.-Thirteen men were PINK GRANITE QUARRY TO BE SOLD river in east and south Pueblo to move immediately to higher ground. reached Pueblo from Pino, Col., at midnight that water in the Fountain river has reached far beyond the danger

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results. At Pittsburg — Cincinnati 3, Pittsburg I (first game). Batteries-Ames and Clarke: Camnitz, Cooper, Simons and Gibson, P.rtsburg 13, Cincinnati 1 (second Batteries - Adams and Gibson; Suggs, Hubert, Kling and Blackburn.

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IN THE FIELD OF SPORTS

Speare, the St. Albans pitcher, is doing remarkable work at St. Johnsbury this summer. Saturday he held the enter the University of Vermont this

Woonsocket people are planning to hold a "Connolly day" at Boston some time in the near future. Connolly, the Boston Brave, claims Woonsocket for his home town. Woonsocket people will pe-sent Connolly a gift as a substantial tes-timony of their regard for the outfield-

Newport club in the Twin State league, the clutches of want. the club directors have released Manag-Fighting continues in day by Chairman Overman. Mr. Mar- er Jerry Donovan, who has had the team at a very fast clip. They will bear

up the acquisition of a postoffice site in Dayton. Mr. Marshall, in his letter yesterday, disclaimed all intention of releasing on Governor Cox.

The Bellows Falls Times says: "May-hitter now than Ed. Sweeney, who has been the mainstay of their catching staff for the league. He is hitting for almost 300 for several seasons.

The Grand Rapids club recently announced the sale of Pitcher "Abe" Bowtries to cop second on the Greenfield

> It is said that Brennan's leg is in bad shape. The Phillie pitcher received injuries to his leg about three weeks ago. days when Chance led his mates through National league championships and that of any other season in his career. world's championships. A short time ago the Cubs carried in their personne! two pitchers, Reulbach and Overall, who world's titles. Reulbach was traded a thefts. Wright of the same team is short time ago to the Brooklyn Dodgers second with twelve.
> for pitcher Stack. Last week the announcement was made that Overall has

team was made by the Chicago team. The exciting race in the New York is in Cleveland. state league for first division honors continues. The four clubs are bunched closer than ever before this season. There are but three games separating the fourth and the first clubs.

is looked upon as one of the best pitchers playing ball in New England to-day. Smith is pitching for Keene in the Twin State league. His record there, although blemished by several defeats, shows that he is a remarkable pitcher. In but one report to the Brattleboro club in the game this season has he been touched up freely. In that game 12 hits were made off him in 12 innings, losing the game. He leads the league in strike outs inning. Hardly a game passed but what with Rutland of the Northern Tri-State 10 men fell before his speed and spitter, league. All the games that he has dropped this season have been close contests. Saturday's debeat by Greenfield was another one bit and fanned 10 men.

pitcher Williams of the Helena club of the Union association. The price was \$3,000. He will report at the end of the present season.

Orr, the young infielder of the Mack men, is considered as one of the most promising utility men in the big leagues. fair pitchers. The only chance he had to show his hand this season was when Jack Barry By next week Marty O'Toole, the high

salaried pitcher of the Pirates, is expected to be back in form ready to take his turn on the mound. O'Toole submitted to an operation for appendicitis some few weeks ago but seems now to have fully recuperated. The current rumors that Johnny Evers cannot get along with his older players is somewhat substantiated by his re-

cent move of turning Mike Mitchell over Pitcher Cashion, the star pitcher of several seasons for the Washington Senators, is not in form this season to for Providence in the International pitch, owing to an injured shoulder. He league. It would not be surprising to fielder next season.

Johnny McGraw is saving Tesreau for

weather. Along towards the latter part ball player sold this season. He was of the season McGraw will work Tessold to the Highlanders for \$12,000 with reau to get him into proper trim to Daniels and Midkiff thrown in to boot. reau to get him into proper trim to win the world's championship. The Chicago White Sox are going to

spend \$6,000 more to strengthen their

team. Rankin Johnson, a pitcher, has been bought from the Syracuse club. Several major league scouts were after "Pie" Way, the former Norwich stu-Stack made a good appearance in his debut with the Chicago Cubs. He went to the Cubs in exchange for Ed Reulbach. In his first appearance he de-feated Philadelphia, holding them to

The oft-repeated retirement an-nouncement of Johnny Kling becomes noticeable. Johnny says that this sea-He has a thriving billiard parlor at Kansas City, which results in a profitable

The Chicago White Sox are travelling

lander catcher, is a better thrower and nounced the sale of Pitcher "Abe" Bow-

man to the Cleveland club. The price is

given as \$2,500. He will not report to

the Naps until the close of the present Central league series. The Chicago Cubs have been stripped of every member of the pitching staff that made the Cubs famous back in the days when Chance led his mates through

He simply can't help hitting them. Tommy Leonard, the former Dart mouth athlete leads the Twin state worked regularly and helped land the league in stelen bases, having seventeen

According to a rumor, Darby O'Brien ouncement was made that Overall has present manager of the Duluth basebal team, has been offered a chance to man of the Pacific Coast league. At the time age the Toledo club in the American as-of the release of Overall, the purchase sociation. O'Brien has been manager of of catcher Hargrove of the Terre Haute the Duluth club for five years, in that time winning two pennants. His home

league is said to be Keady, the Lehigh athlete. Keady is big of stature and is ably equipped to ward off attacks aimed at him. He has two years more Bob Smith, the former Hardwick lad, at Lehigh university, where he plays football and baseball. Paddy Green, the former Holyoke pitcher, who was tried out by the

The best umpire in the Twin state

York Highlanders, has been ordered to Twin state league by the management of the Meriden club. Ted Larkin, the former Holy Cross catcher, is hitting the ball for over .400

The Red Sox have asked for waivers on Steve Yerkes, who is now warming the beech. It is said that Connie Mack hard luck affair. He held Greenfield to wants him for utility man. Yerkes has been with the Red Sox for three seasans, The Washington Schators purchased and this season dropped off considerably

> Hughie Jennings of the Tigers says that either Boehling of the Senators or Brown of the Mackmen would be utter failures if they had second rate teams playing behind them. He calls them only There has been some talk of Jake

Stahl succeeding Jimmy Callahan as manager of the Chicago White Sox. Callahan is too valuable a player for Comiskey to lose and these rumors have been mostly discredited. Stahl might go to St. Louis next season if he should decide to re-enter baseball. President Hedges of the Browns says that results count in managing teams and it looks as though George Stovall was slated to be canned next season. Stovall has worked hard with material on hand, but has not accomplished results.

The Onslow brothers, property of the Detroit Tigers, are playing a great game will probably be developed into an out- see either of these youngsters dragged back into the big leagues soon.

Fritz Maisel, the former Baltimore inthe latter part of the season. He does fielder, who is now with the Chancemen,

Maizel is a third baseman and will be seen from now on in that position with the New York club. He is said to close

"Pie" Way, the former Norwich student, who is now enrolled at Yale university, has been playing ball in Man-chester, N. H., this summer. He will report for early fall football practice at Yale. The Yale players will retreat to some point in Connecticut under the some point in Connecticut under the supervision of their head coach. Last season Way played on the freshman team at Yale and was considered a phenom. Many predict that he will hold a regular position with the varsity team this fall.

Incidental Music. One afternoon a couple from an adtoining town presented themselves to ried just as he was about to enter the pulpit to conduct an afternoon service. The minister replied that he regretted that he could not at that moment comply, with their wish, but that immediately upon the conclusion of the service he would take pleasure in performing the ceremony. The lovers after demurring seated themselves in the rear of the church. When the minister had finished the service he made the following announcement: "The parties who are to be joined in matrimony will present themselves at the chancel immediately after the singing of Hymn 415, 'Mistaken Souls That Dream of

Heaven!" "-Exchange. Curious Marriage Custom. Among the islanders of Jersey then is a very curious but pretty marriage custom. As soon as the ceremony a over and when the happy couple are entering into occupation of their house the large granite slab over the porch is inscribed with the initials of the bride and bridegroom, and between the two a rough representation of two hearts is entwined, the whole thus forming a marriage certificate for all the world to see. It is said that should the couple by any chance be one day divorced the hearts are pierced through by an arrow, which is cut into them.

Witty Retort. A lady of great beauty and attractiveness who was an ardent admirer of Ireland once crowned her praise of it at a party by saying:

"I think I was meant for an Irishwoman." "Madam," rejoined a witty son of Erin who happened to be present, "thousands would back me in saying that you were meant for an Irishman." -London Tatler.

Persuasion. "I can't marry you," she said. "You are old enough to be my father."

"Don't hesitate on that account. Ten years from now nobody will suspect it."-Chicago Record-Hernid.

Mother-Whatever are you doing to poor dolly, child? Child-I'm just going to put her to bed, mummy. I've taken off her hair, but I can't get her teeth out.-London Tit-Bits.

Soul System. "Algy writes to seven girls." "It's a wonder he doesn't get his fove affairs mixed." "He keeps a card index."-Washington Herald.

The Nature of the Creature. "Your cook"-"Oh, she is so careless that I don't believe she could drop a remark without breaking her word."-Smart Set.

Be not simply good; be good for something.-Thoreau.